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EUROPE.

TRIAL OF THE PHŒNIX PARK CONSPIRATORS.

DUBLIN, Feb, 15.—It was stated at the hearing to-day of the prisoners charged with the conspiracy to murder, that eye-witnesses will depose that both Lord Cavendish and Burke were suddenly seized from behind, and that they wrenched themselves loose. It was thus that they were wounded in their backs as well as breasts.

Patrick Cahill deposed that in passing the Chapel-Izod gate the evening of the 6th of May, he saw a car driving rapidly into Phœnix park. One man on the car he identified as Caffrey. This completes the quartette of men who were on the car.

An old man named Flynn testified that after playing he walked through the park a little past the polo ground. He said a car was standing on the grass; the driver was beside the horse; further on four men were lying on a grassy slope, two on each side; he saw James Carey sitting on the seat near the Gough statue; he left him in company with another man, whom he did not know, he then saw Burke alight from the car and join Lord Frederick Cavendish.

Witness Harley deposed: Saw four or five men lying at the place where the murder was committed: identified Kelly as being among the group; further on he saw a man and a car standing; the man is not in the prisoner's dock now. He met successively the car, Burke walking and a stranger.

Flynn's identification of Carey was complete. He spoke to him while he was sitting on the seat. He recognized Kelly as the man he afterwards passed near the clump of trees.

Murphy, a laborer, identified Fitz Harris as the one who was waiting near the car with several others.

To-day will be merely used for the purpose of bringing forward all the witnesses who in traversing Phœnix park saw groups of men walking about. The evidence so far adduced is useful to the crown, as confirming the details of Kavanagh's statement, but has no startling interest. Meagle, one of the byciclists, identified Brady as resting beside the road on the evening of the murder. He said he saw four men, one of whom was Brady, tusseling.

After further evidence corroborating Kavanagh's testimony, court adjourned until Saturday.

DUBLIN, Feb. 15.—At the resumption of the examination of the prisoners charged with conspiracy to murder, the names of persons in good social position will be introduced in connection with secret societies. The policeman, car driver, bycicle rider and others in Phœnix park, at the time of the murder, will confirm Kavanagh's statement.

PARIS, Feb. 14.—The proposal of Waddington to banish any prince guilty of furthering pretensions endangering the state, was adopted by the senate yesterday and presented in the chamber of deputies to-day

The minister of marine and Deves formally informed the president of the chamber that they heard the word "coward" uttered during the confusion.

Faure, Bonapartist, admitted he used the word; as no minister replied to Cassagnac, he considered the government guilty of cowardice.

After adjournment, Denahy sent seconds to Faure, demanding a retraction or an explanation of the offensive expression. Faure disclaimed meaning to personally offend any of the ministers. The explanation asw accepted.

DUBLIN, Feb. 15.—In the commission court to-day, Curry, charged with the murder of a farmer named East in June last in the presence of his wife and eight children, was acquitted. The Judge's charge strongly favored the prisoner.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—An abstract of the Queen's speech to be delivered at the opening of Parliament has been published. Her Majesty refers to the Danubian conference; recent events in Egypt; the restoration of Cetewayo and the diminution of crime in Ireland. Her Majesty shows that the government is determined not to allow its Irish subjects to occupy almost the entire attention of Parliament as heretofore. The remainder of the address has reference to reforms in the home government.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The *Times* publishes an authoritative statement regarding an interview yesterday between the ex-Empress Eugenie and Prince Jerome Napoleon, which it says has cleared up some private misunderstanding existing between the ex-empress and the prince, and led to formal recognition of the latter as the head of the Bonapartist family. The empress was not called upon to express her opinion of her kinsmen's general policy, and could not consistently with the policy adopted by her while sojourning in Paris assure her cousin of her best wishes of any constitutional action he may take towards bringing about a plebescite, The recent visit of the empress to Paris was a mark of sympathy with Prince Napoleon on account of his illegal arrest; not in respect to the views of his manifesto. She disclaimed participation in any unlawful or clandestine purpose against the republic.

The prince on his part states if the popular vote should pronounce for a republic, he should bow to it. The republic has never yet, he says, polled a clear majority of registered electors, and the state is therefore governed merely by virtue of popular apathy. If the prince is banished he may come to London. He has no intention of abdicating his position in favor of his son. The latter was not privy to the issue of the manifesto, but there is no antagonism between him and his father. The general opinion in Paris political circles is that the dissolution of the chamber of deputies will soon occur.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—A great popular demonstration will be made in Charing Cross in favor of the claim of Bradlaugh to a seat in the house of commons, to which he was reelected from Northampton borough in March last. Delegates from London workmen's clubs, and others, representing four hundred provincial towns, will be present. The police authorities have madearrangements to quell any disorder that may arise.

Bradlaugh, in a speech at a meeting at Charing Cross, announced that if nothing was mentioned in the house of commons, by 4 o'clock this afternoon, about the bill allowing members to make an affirmation who desire to do so, instead of taking the usual parliamentary oath, he should then take his seat in the house. There is a large crowd outside of Westminster palace, the gates of which are guarded.

LONDON, Feb. 15—The *Daily News* says: "However we may now improve its condition, the wheat crop of Europe will be short."

PARIS, Feb. 15.—Committee of the chamber of deputies at a meeting yesterday to consider the various bills relating to pretenders through the casting vote of Marcon, reverted to Floquet's bill prohibiting the presence in France or Algeria of any members of the former French dynasties.

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A compromise is hoped for on the question of expulsion of the Orleans princes on the basis of Senator Barber's proposal, rendering the princes liable to expulsion by a decree by the president of the republic.

DUBLIN, Feb. 16.—A man named Smith, an employé at the Bard Works, has been arrested in connection with the conspiracy to murder the government officials.

Harrington, secretary of the organizing committee of the National League, who was convicted last month on a charge of using intimidating language in a speech at a public meeting, and sentenced to two months' imprisonment with hard labor, was arrested to-day to undergo sentence.

DARTMOOR, Feb. 16.—A fire-damp explosion occurred in a mine here, by which four persons were killed.

VENICE, Feb. 16—The body of the late Richard Wagner has been embalmed.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Coock and Secretary Malagassy, envoys, state that they will start for America on Tuesday next.

VIENNA, Feb. 16.—Recent audiences of Count Kalnoisky, the Imperial Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Count Audrassy with Emperor Francis Joseph have given rise to a number of changes in the ministry.

ROME, Feb. 15—The *Minitour* says the death of archbishop McCabe is a great loss to Ireland. It refers to his arduous efforts to free the country.

On Sunday the archbishop asked the pope for his benediction, which the pope immediately sent.

VENICE, Feb. 15.—The body of the late Richard Wagner has been embalmed. No religious ceremony will be held here, the family having declined such services.

THE EDITOR of the Grand River *Sachem* says:—"We are usually sparing in our encomiums towards patent medicines, but observation and enquiry has satisfied us that the preparation of Messrs. T. Milburn & Co., styled 'Burdock Blood Bitters,' as a blood purifying tonic is worthy of the high reputation it has established among the people (19)

A REASONABLE REQUEST.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY ASKS those gentlemen to whom he is indebted to grant him an indulgence till April next, when he will discharge every liability. The disastrous fire and the failure of the drydock contractors made me a heavy sufferer; but I shall work out all right and pay every cent in April.

W. X. SELLECK.
Esquimalt, B.C., Jan. 15, 1883. ja16tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE AT the next session of the Dominion Parliament for an Act to incorporate the

LOYAL ORANGE ASSOCIATION OF BRIT. AMERICA.

THOMAS KEYS,
Grand Secretary L. O. A. B. A.
St. Catherines Ont., Dec. 9th, 1882. de22dwst

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the matter of the Estate of WING WOO, of Lillooet, Deceased, Intestate.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the said Estate are requested to forward them at once: and all persons indebted are requested to pay the amounts to

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Administrator
Victoria, 8th Feb., 1883 fe9

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE THOROUGHBRED STALLION FRANK HASTINGS

THE PROPERTY OF MR. THOS. HARRIS, OF VICTORIA,

WILL STAND FOR THE SEASON OF 1883 IN VICTORIA, FROM APRIL 1ST TO JULY 1ST.

Will also attend for the accommodation of Farmers during the Season every Monday at 12 o'clock at Pratt's Hotel, calling at Wayside Houses, Esquimalt Road and Parson's Bridge Hotel, returning by way of Burnside Road; home same day. On Thursdays at Mount Newton Hotel at 12 o'clock, going WEST ROAD; and at Mr Turgoose's Farm, South Saanich, at 4 o'clock same day and remaining there all night, returning home on Fridays, calling at Wayside Farms.

TERMS FOR THE SERVICE:

PEDIGREE MARES, $50, and $2 50 to the groom. All other Mares, $20, and $1 to the groom, the groom's fee to be paid at the time of service, and for the horse in 30 days from first service by note, to be given same day, or cash.

THESE TERMS WILL BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO BY OWNER.

☞ Mares from a distance will be provided with Pasturage if required at $1 per week. Accidents at owner's risk.

PEDIGREE OF FRANK HASTINGS

Bay stallion, bred by James Merritt, of Napa, Cal., by Monday, 1 dam, Sweetwater, by Volscian; 2 dam, Lady Setty, by Argyle; 3 dam, by Duke of Bedford; 4 dam, by Cherokee; 5 dam, by Gallant, son of Imported Diamond; 6 dam, by Collier; 7 dam, by Imported Pantaloon.

MONDAY, BY COLTON.

1 dam, Molly Jackson, by Vandal; 2 dam Emma Wright, by Imported Margrave; 3 dam, Fanny Wright, by Silver Heels; 4 dam Aurora, by Lloyd's YpingCun; 5 dam, Pandora, by Grey Diomed; 6 dam, by Hull's Union; 7 dam, by Leonidas; 8 dam, by Imported Othello; 9 dam, by Imported George's Juniper; 10 dam, by Imported Traveller; 11 dam, by Imported mare Selima, by Godolphin Arabian.

COLTON, BY LEXINGTON.

1 dam, Topaz, by Glencoe; 2 dam, Emerald, by Imported Leviathan; 3 dam, Imported Eliza, by Barbens; 4 dam, Little Folly, by Highland Fling; 5 dam, Harriet, by Volunteer; 6 dam, Lady Sarah, by Alfred; 7 dam, Magnolia, by Marske; 8 dam, by Abraham.

VOLSCIAN, BY VANDAL.

1 dam, Grey Eagle mare, by Grey Eagle; 2 dam, Mary Morris, by Medoc; 3 dam, Miss Obs ate, by Sumter; 4 dam, Jenny Slammerkin, by Tiger; 5 dam, Paragon, by Imported Buzzard.

FRANK HASTINGS was awarded First Premium for Thoroughbreds at the State Fair of Oregon, in 1880; also, at the British Columbia Provincial Fair, held at Victoria in September, 1882, the Gold Medal for the Best Stallion exhibited.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 15th, 1883. ja18dw5m

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☞ TELEPHONE CALL No. 129.

JAMES HAMILTON,
Superintendent.
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MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY given that Finlayson's Bridge being unsafe, is CLOSED for vehicles until further notice.

By order of the Mayor and Corporation.

WM. LEIGH, C. M. C.
January 31, 1883. fe1

THOS. TROUNCE ARCHITECT, ETC.

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JAMES C. PREVOST,
Administrator
Victoria, Jan. 27th, 1883. ja28

INSURANCE.

PHŒNIX FIRE ASSURANCE CO.,

OF LONDON.

A CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED CHEERFULLY RETURNS his sincere thanks to T. C. Nuttall, Esq., Agent for the above Insurance Company, for the liberality and promptitude with which he has satisfied every claim against the company in connection with the claim of over $1800 for loss sustained through the recent fire on Johnson street. Mr. Nuttall's conduct is worthy of imitation and entitles him to public patronage.

W. G. NORRIS.
Johnson St., Jan. 10, 1883. ja11

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W. HEATHORN,
Victoria Boot and Shoe Manufactory,
de7td Government st., next the Postoffice.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the matter of the "Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Act, 1856."

Exparte AGNES FREW.

NOTICE.—MRS. AGNES FREW, OF NANAIMO, widow, has presented a petition to this Honorable Court for leave to grant a lease of Sections 1, 2, 3, R. VI., Nanaimo District, for a period of 8 years with privilege to the Lessees to purchase the minerals under the said land. If no objection is made thereto an order will be made, in pursuance of the said petition on or after the 26th day of February next.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
Solicitors for Petitioner, Bastion st., Victoria.
Dated 29th January, 1883 fe1

DR. JORDAN & CO., PUPILS OF PROFESSOR Ricord of Paris, Proprietors of Museum of Anatomy, can be consulted by letter, Office 211 Geary street, San Francisco, on the Kidneys, Loss of Manhood, Diseases of Skin and all diseases of men. A Book sent on receipt of 25 cents. an23wly

M. WRIGHT. GEO. RUDGE.

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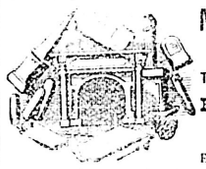

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"LAND REGISTRY ORDINANCE, 1870."

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WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Walter Leonard Orde to the above mentioned hereditaments, dated 31st May, 1882, and numbered 3915*a* has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate thereof. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued, unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar General.
Land Registry Office,
30th January, 1883. ja30

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S. M. HARTMAN, DENTIST.

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Victoria, B.C., Nov. 1st. no22dwtf

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

THADDEUS HARPER, Plaintiff.

vs.

BENJAMIN VAN VOLKENBURGH AND ISAAC VAN VOLKENBURGH } Defendants.

THE COURT THIS DAY APPOINTED MR. C. BALES Receiver and Manager of the partnership business of Van Volkenburgh and Company, who is alone authorized to receive and pay monies on account of this partnership and to carry on the business for the purpose of liquidation.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
Solicitors for Plaintiff.

DAVIE & POOLEY,
Solicitors for Defendants.
9th January, 1882. ja1tdw

MRS. E. COONESS,

DRESSMAKER

WISHES TO RETURN HER THANKS TO THE Ladies of Victoria for their generous patronage in the past and respectfully requests a continuance of the same at her residence,

JOHNSON ST., bet. Quadra and Vancouver Sts.
Victoria, B.C., Jan. 29, 1883 ja30 1m

INFORMATION WANTED.

VICTORIA, B.C., Jan. 25th, 1883.

MR. JOHN HANLY:—I AM IN RECEIPT OF your letter of the 5th inst., and happy to hear from you; but there is something I can never ascertain from that country is, where are Gilbert and my sister's children. I wrote several times and sent several dispatches and never can find out anything. One letter dated West Rutland, Sept 26, 1882, with a likeness in, I sent back; but no answer. I want to know who that Gilbert Hanly is; I sent him a dispatch and got no answer. I sent a letter to John Cunningham, North Dawson, and got no answer. I sent a dispatch to Wm. Hanly, Manchester, and no answer. I received the "Herald" from Rutland the same day. Now I hope you will answer this letter in every particular at once. Yours truly,

ja26dw ROGER HANLY.

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THE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

WILL REOPEN (D.V.) AT 9:30 A.M. ON MONday, 8th inst.

JOHN B. CHANTRELL,
Principal.
January 3d, 1883. ja4

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situate on the South side of Rivers Inlet, on a small Bay, about 5 miles from the mouth of the River Wannuck.

THOS. SHOTBOLT.
Victoria, B.C., 8th Sept., 1882. se10

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of FRANCOIS CASTAGNETTO, Deceased

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE DECEASed, or who have any of his effects, are required to pay or deliver the same to the undersigned; and all persons having claims to present the same to

ANGELO PENDOLA,
CHARLES WILSON,
no17dw Executors, Barkerville, B.C.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS

HENRY SHORT,

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IN THE MATTER OF THE LAND REGISTRY ORDINANCE, 1870.

RE LOTS 5 AND 9, BLOCK I, YALE, B. C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO order of Honorable Mr. Justice Crease, dated 20th October, 1882, that, unless cause be shown to contrary, the Registrar General will, in two months from the date hereof, register the Title of David Oppenheimer and Isaac Oppenheimer to the aforesaid Lots in fee simple.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1882.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
Bastion st., Victoria,
Solicitors for David Oppenheimer and
oc26 2m Isaac Oppenheimer.

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SEED STORE: Occidental Buildings Fort street, NURSERY: Cadboro Bay Road no2dwfm

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE JOHN HAMILTON.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNdersigned up to Wednesday, the 6th day of February, 1883, for the unexpired Lease, Goodwill and Fixtures of the Hotel and Saloon known as the Oriental Hotel, in this city.

Full information will be given on application at the Saloon.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN HAMILTON, Jr., Administrator.
Nanaimo, Jan. 5th, 1883. ja12dw

PUBLIC NOTICE.

OSOYOOS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT that portion of a Gazette Notice, dated 22nd June, 1878, which excepts certain lands from pre-emption or purchase is hereby rescinded so far as concerns the following described parcels of land, viz:—

North half of Section 14, Township No. 9.
North-east quarter of Section 15, Township No. 9.
And those portions of the South half of Section 23, Township No. 9, which are known on the official map as Lots 20 and 59, Group 1.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., February 7th, 1883. fe9

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IT IS MY intention (as Agent for the Sisters of St. Ann's Convent) to make application, 30 days after the date of this notice, to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a Public Highway along the whole line between Sections Nos. Seven and Eight (7 and 8), Range 1 E., South Saanich, to connect with the West and East Saanich Road passing through the Indian Reserve.

LO. LOWENBERG.
Victoria, Dec. 16, 1882. de17

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situated on Thurlow Island, described as follows:—

1. Commencing at a point on the East side of Thurlow Island, about 40 chains North of Point Jackson, being the Southeast corner; thence West 40 chains; thence North 120 chains; thence East 00 chains; thence South, following shore line to point of commencement.

2. Commencing at a point on the North side of Thurlow Island, near Noel Point, being the Northwest corner; thence South 40 chains; thence East 40 chains; thence North 40 chains; thence West 40 chains, more or less, and along shore line to point of commencement.

MOODYVILLE SAW MILL CO. (LIMITED),
R. P. RITHET, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., 21st Oct., 1882. oc29 2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT hereafter, all Letters, etc., addressed to the United States, prepaid with Canadian or United States postage stamps, placed on the mail steamers at Victoria for Port Townsend, W. T., or San Francisco, Cal., will not be forwarded to their destination, but will be returned to the country of origin; and all letters received at Victoria which have not passed through the Postoffice at Port Townsend or San Francisco will be similarly dealt with.

In order, therefore, to secure prompt despatch and delivery, all correspondence addressed to the United States should be posted so as to secure transmission by mail.

By direction of the Postmaster General.

R. WALLACE,
P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, 12th Dec., 1882. de13

IN THE LAND REGISTRY OFFICE.

In the matter of the Land Registry Ordinance, 1870.

AND

In the matter of the application of Charles Digby for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to Lot No. 8, Block XXVIII, in the City of New Westminster.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above mentioned Lot will be issued to the above named Charles Digby on the 1st day of May next, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing by some person having an estate or interest in said Lot, or any part thereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar General.
Land Registry Office,
30th January, 1883. ja30 1td3mw

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

A. B. GRAY, Plaintiff.

vs.

ALFRED RAPER, Defendant.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER MADE herein on the 29th day of January, 1883, by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of

WEDNESDAY, 28th FEBRUARY, 1883

For the purchase of the right, title and interest of Alfred Raper in and to pre-emption claim number 1363, containing 160 acres, situate in Cranberry District, being 100 acres in Section 8, Range six, and sixty acres in Section 8, Range five.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Deeds of sale at buyer's expense. Half the purchase money on the above pre-emption claim has been paid to the Government.

Dated January 29th, 1883.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Receiver Estate of Alfred Raper.
ja30

Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, FEB. 18TH, 1883.

L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, is authorised to receive advertisements for the columns of this paper.

A MUNICIPAL MUDDLE.

In 1880 an act was introduced into the provincial legislature intituled "An act to make valid and binding an official map or survey of the city of Victoria." This act recited among other things as follows:

That the official map of 1858 made from the surveys of B. W. Pearse and J. D. Pemberton is in such a damaged state that measurements and angles cannot be obtained from it with accuracy;

That in consequence of this the coporation had caused a survey of the city to be made by Mahood & Cridge;

That Dennis Harris had prepared a map in accordance with the survey and field notes made by them;

That this map had been checked and verified by B. W. Pearse and J. D. Pemberton, commissioners appointed for that purpose;

That it was intended that stone boundaries or monuments should be placed under their directions to mark the governing points and centre lines of streets, and that it was expedient to declare that the said map so made "shall be taken to be the official map of the city of Victoria."

The act was referred by the legislature to the private bills committee and the map was produced before the committee by Dennis Harris as the map or plan of the city of Victoria, made by him in accordance with the field notes of Mahood & Cridge. The map and act were examined by the committee, objections urged by citizens considered, and after some modifications the act and map were approved by the private bills committee, and subsequently passed the legislature. The act required that this map should be deposited in the office of the registrar general of titles at Victoria and declared that "the said map" after registration, "shall be deemed to be the official map of the city of Victoria."

In 1881 a petition was presented to the legislature by A. B. Gray, acting as agent for James Yates, which contained the serious charge that the map had been altered between the time the act was passed and the date of registration; and the petitioner prayed that an enquiry be made by the legislature. The petition was referred to the private bills committee, which held an investigation. Among the witnesses were Messrs. Cridge, Harris, Pearse and Pemberton. Their evidence is printed in the votes and proceedings of the legislative assembly, and some of it is so extraordinary that we here quote it:

Mr. Cridge said—"In our contract with the city we were to make a map from our notes, which we did; the map we made was on the same scale as the present city map. I have scaled the official map and find that in certain respects it does not agree with my field notes. I assisted Mr. Harris in placing some of the stones marking the street lines. In every case where I assisted the centre of the street was found by measuring from building to building on either side, and not from our field notes. The stones might have been just as well put in before the survey was made."

Mr. Harris said—"I had charge of this map in my office and produce it before the committee. I had possession of the map from the time it passed the house until its registration. An addition was made to the map whilst in my charge."

Mr. B. W. Pearse said—"Certain incomplete maps were produced before the committee last session. The committee must understand that it was not pretended that they were complete and they were produced to illustrate the way in which the work would be finished. The bulk of the work was done, in fact, last summer. The survey was not completed by Mahood & Cridge. Mr. Harris completed the unfinished portion of the survey."

Mr. J. D. Pemberton said—"The survey was embodied in a map and produced before the committee in an incomplete state. We did not complete our work of checking and verification till about the 6th November. I am not conscious that I ever saw the act passed by the house last May. I was not guided by the act in reference to anything done to the map. I was never supplied with a copy of the act."

On the evidence taken by the private bills committee, of which the above extracts are specimens, the committee came to the conclusion that the map was no better than waste paper. The report of the committee to the legislative assembly is too long for insertion here. We confine ourselves to the concluding portion of it which reads as follows:

"That your committee are of opinion that in consequence of the alterations made by the aforesaid commissioners during the interval between the passage of the act and the registration of the said map as aforesaid, the legality of the said map has been invalidated and that the registration of the said map so altered has in consequence no force or effect."

The survey of the city, the preparation of the map and all expenses connected with it, including the large payment made to Messrs. Mahood, Cridge, Harris, Pearse and Pemberton have cost the taxpayers probably ten thousand dollars, and the result is a map which as it stands is utterly worthless. Each and every one concerned owes it to himself to do free of cost to the city whatever may be necessary to obtain for the city a valid official map. The mayor and councillors should at once seriously address themselves to this matter, and now we have called public attention to it we have performed our duty and anxiously wait to see what they will do about it.

Misrepresentation.

To the Editor: It astonished me very much to read in the *Standard* that Mr. Beaven and his friends had reframed from all opposition to the re election of the members of the new ministry and that they took credit for so doing in the interest of the country.

Nothing can be further from the truth than the *Standard's* statement. I happen to know that no less a sum than five hundred dollars was offered a certain politician to run against Mr. Alex. E. B. Davie at Lillooet. The offer was indignantly rejected.

The reason there was no opposition to the return of the members of the new ministry was because every gentleman approached declined to be made a tool of and held that the new ministry deserved a fair trial.

An Observer.

DR. COOPER'S VECETABLE LIVER-WORT AND KIDNEY CURE

Has no equal as a safe remedy for all diseases of the liver, kidneys and urinary organs. Over 250,000 bottles sold during 1882. Price $1 a bottle. Moore & Co., sole agents. dw

CHINA AND JAPAN.

A German Man-of-War Assorts Itself--Earthquake and Volcano--Japanese Revenue and War Preparations--The French Protectorate.

San Francisco, Feb. 15.—The steamship City of Tokio arrived from China this afternoon. She encountered heavy gales and rough seas. The Tokio brings news of the following dates:

Hongkong, Jan. 19 and Shanghai, Jan. 16.—An armed force of several hundred men were landed December 29th at Amoy, from two German frigates who seized from the Chinese authorities certain wares manufactured by a Chinese firm in Amoy, and confiscated by the Chinese government, who allege that the manufacturers are prohibited by treaty. Germans allege the confiscation was illegal, and claim the full right to manufacture. This is the second recent occasion where German ships of war have taken peremptory action to redress grievances, independently of diplomatic agencies.

During the first fortnight in December last the island of Formosa was continuously shaken by earthquakes. There was great destruction of property and many lives were lost.

Reports from Peking, promulgated as official, say the French envoy and Li Hung Chang have agreed upon terms from Tonquin by which China continues to claim that territory as a tributary region while France maintains her protectorate. Nevertheless Chinese troops remain in great force at Tonquin, and public opinion regards the affair as still unsettled. The Yellow river burst the levees near the city of Wuting, flooding an area equal to a hundred miles square.

Yokahama, Feb. 14.—The eruption of a small mountain Futage, on the shore of Lake Hakone, took place on the night of Jan. 22nd. Villages were injured by falling rocks and masses of falling lava. The extent of damage is not yet reported. This particular mountain was not hitherto known as a volcano. The last previous eruption in the locality was that of the famous Fusi Yama one hundred and sixty years ago.

The national revenue is to be increased this year seven million yens, by additional internal taxation, all to be devoted to new armaments and war preparations. Owing to the threatening attitude of China, forts will be built and strengthened along the coast, and a large garrison placed in Foo Choo Islands. Japanese officials in Corea estimate the total revenue of that government at about one million dollars yearly, paid in rice, beans, cotton and hemp.

Three hundred and fifty thousand yens were given by the Japanese government for water communication by canal and river deepening between Lake Biwa and Kiote.

Eastern States.

Omaha, Feb. 16.—Large quantities of hay have been shipped over the Union Pacific for feeding herds of cattle on the Platte valley ranges and those in western Wyoming, where grass is snowed under. Trains on the Denver short line are compelled to run slow, as cattle take to the track on their way to water, and cannot be driven into the snowbanks.

Lem. Hanbaugh pointed a needle gun at a party of children in front of a school house at Florence, six miles north of Omaha, merely to frighten them and the gun was accidentally discharged, wounding three children, one dangerously.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—An accident occurred to-day on the Flint and Pere Marquette railroad. Three coaches and one Pullman were ditched. The engine, mail and baggage cars passed safely. The engineer, with commendable bravery and presence of mind, stopped the engine immediately, got two pails of water and stopped the flames that had broken out in one of the coaches, thus preventing a holocaust. Mrs. Hulda Seaman, aged 74, was killed instantly. She resided at St. Vincent, Ontario, and was going to Nebraska to her daughter. Mrs. Hill was injured badly and has become insane. Thomas Lindsay was injured fatally in the chest. Sixteen others were more or less hurt.

Considerable pressure has been brought from various directions for high license for saloons, and the council are considering the matter.

Cincinnati, Feb. 16.—Floods are commencing to recede. Fully 25,000 people are homeless and damages amount to millions. Relief fund in now $53,272. The first drowning occurred to-day, when two boys gathering driftwood fell overboard and were lost. The practice of paying for boating is abolished, and if anyone demands pay his boat is confiscated.

New Albany, Ind., Feb. 16.—One hundred houses are gone. Twelve hundred are in the water; 5000 people are homeless. Loss over a million.

Cincinnati, Feb. 15.—A four-story brick building was shattered to pieces by an explosion of sewer gas and 17 persons killed.

New York, Feb. 16.—Business failures for the last seven days number 254, against 275 last week. New England states, 19; the western states, 90; southern, 54; middle, 38; Pacific states and territories, 9; Canada, 27.

ACCIDENT ON THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

A Freight Train Smashed Up.

Los Angeles, Feb. 14.—The passenger train which left San Francisco yesterday morning reached this city this evening at half-past six, eleven hours late, bringing news of an extensive railroad accident four miles south of Sumner. It appears that a freight train coming south, at Sumner learned that the passenger train was late an hour, and attempted to make a side track five miles this side of Sumner. It was running very fast when the engine flew the track, which was covered with several inches of slush and mud, and drew the entire train after them. The two engines, which were ten-wheelers, were pulled completely around after being thrown a great distance from the track. The engineer of the train had three ribs broken, and fireman A. W. Sproule was instantly killed, being crushed under the engine. The whole train is a total wreck excepting the two last cars, which were left standing on the track. Cars were piled up on cars in hopeless confusion and ruin. A side track was thrown up around the wreck to allow the passenger train to pass around. The amount of freight damaged is not known.

When St. Valentine steps into the field, all the mischief he may do (having Carte Blanche) is beyond the pale of the law, and all the Chief Justices in the land, and he stands with a moulded shield impregnable. We have our usual supply, only prettier. T. N. Hibben & Co.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HOUSEMAID WANTED

AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE. Apply at Government House between 10 and 1. fe18

TO LET.

THE STORE ON FORT STREET, NOW IN THE occupation of York & Lenz. For particulars apply on the premises. fe18

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.

5 FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKERS, ALSO, ONE Buttonhole maker. Apply at MISS D. L. DAVEY'S DRESSMAKING ESTABLISHMENT, fe18 GOVERNMENT STREET.

LOST

ON SATURDAY, 17TH INST., ON BLANCHARD street, between Fisgard and Rae streets, a GOLD LOCKET and CHAIN. The finder will oblige by leaving the same at this office or with Frank Campbell. fe18

NEW Theatre Royal.

ALF WYMAN SOLE PROPRIETOR

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With the Sensational Drama

BLACK DIAMONDS,

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POPULAR PRICES—Parquet Reserved Chairs, 75 cents; Back Seats Chairs, 50 cents; Children, half price; Gallery, 25 cents.

Reserved Seats at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s Bookstore without Extra Charge. fe10

THE LADIES' CONVERSAZIONE COMMITTEE

WILL HOLD AN ENTERTAINMENT AT CENTRAL Hall on

THURSDAY, FEB. 22ND, AT 8 O'CLOCK.

ADMISSION, 25 cents, including Tea, etc. fe17

FOR SKEENA AND WAY PORTS.

THE STEAM SCHOONER

GRACE

Will leave Dickson, Campbell & Co.'s wharf for the above ports

ON THURSDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 22ND.

For Rates of Freight apply to H. SAUNDERS, Agent. fe17

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THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP CO.'S FIRST CLASS STEAMER

GEO. W. ELDER,

HAYWARD, MASTER,

Will sail for San Francisco on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH, AT NOON.

Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight and Baggage for shipment by her are required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 p. m. on Monday, 19th inst.

The steamer Woonsside will convey passengers from our wharf at 9 a. m. on date of sailing.

For Freight and Passage apply to

fe17 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

FARM TO LET OR LEASE.

THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS THE FRASER Farm, Section IV, Matchosin District, containing 250 Acres, of which 75 acres are cleared; 5 acres are in Timothy; 2 acres are in Fall Wheat. The whole under fence. A good House, one and a-half stories, with eight rooms, and barns, sheds, etc., with the property.

Will be Leased for a term of years.

Apply to LD. LOWENBERG, e16dwtm Government street.

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A GRAND VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL

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Will be held in the Methodist Church

ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 7TH.

Under the Leadership of

MR. T. WILSON.

TICKETS ONE DOLLAR. Doors open at 7:30; to commence at 8 p. m., sharp. fe15

PHILHARMONIC HALL

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH.

The Eloquent and Popular Speaker

ANNA M. L. POTTS, M. D.,

of the Female Medical College of Pennsylvania, will commence her course of

MEDICAL LECTURES

DISCUSSING

Physiology, Health & Disease

THESE LECTURES WILL TREAT OF THE Structures and Laws of Brain and Nerves, cause and cure of Nervousness, Neuralgia, Sick Headache, Effects of Alcohol and Narcotics, the Eye, Ear and Tongue.

FOOD AND DIGESTION,

How to cure and avoid Dyspepsia; the Liver and its disease; the Lungs and Consumption; Structure and Care of the Skin; the Muscles and their work.

Illustrated by a magnificent collection of

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The most accurate and beautiful in the world, containing many full length and life-sized figures, which show all the organs of the body. This collection embraces beautiful Microscopic Views and Chemical Diagrams. It also includes interesting groups of Historical Portraits.

THE COURSE WILL CONSIST OF

25. Five Evening Lectures to both Sexes and four Afternoon Lectures to Ladies.

The first Lecture to Ladies will be delivered on TUESDAY Afternoon, Feb. 20th, at 2:30 o'clock.

FIRST TWO LECTURES FREE. fe15

C. STROUSS & CO.,

WHARF STREET, VICTORIA,

IMPORTERS OF

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, HATS, BLANKETS, ETC.,

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A FINE LOT OF

NEW GOODS,

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Victoria, B.C., 25th Jan., 1883. ja26

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ANNUAL STOCKTAKING

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Goods Remaining Unsold since Last Stocktaking taken down at ONE-HALF Original Cost!!

HAVING FAITH IN THE "NIMBLE SIXPENCE" AND DEEMING IT RUINOUS TO CARRY STOCK OVER FROM SEASON TO SEASON, THESE GOODS WILL BE OFFERED AT UNHEARD OF LOW PRICES TO EFFECT AN IMMEDIATE CLEARANC .

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—AT THE—

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1st February, 1882 fe1

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GREAT SELLING OFF!

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COMMENCING ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY SIXTH, WE SHALL OFFER OUR STOCK REMAINING OVER FROM THE WINTER SEASON TRADE, AND CONSISTING OF:

DRESS MATERIALS, BROCADED SILKS AND VELVETEENS, MILLINERY GOODS, FURS AND KNITTED WOOL GOODS, CLOTH JACKETS CLOTH DOLMANS, CLOTH CIRCULARS, TWEED ULSTERS, HOSIERY, UNDERCLOTHING, ETC. ET C

All of which have been MARKED DOWN regardless of COST and will SOLD at the REDUCED PRICES FOR CASH ONLY.

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ALBION HOUSE

—WILL BE—

WILL BE RE-OPENED FOR BUSINESS ON TUESDAY, THE 6TH INST

HAVING PURCHASED FROM MESSRS. A. B. GRAY & CO. THEIR RETAIL STOCK OF DRY GOODS ON MOST Advantageous Terms, we intend to offer the same to the Public

AT A GREAT REDUCTION FOR CASH.

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Being anxious to effect a Speedy Clearance, we have made a GENUIN REDUCTION, and solicit an early inspection.

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SHIP HATTIE E. TAPLEY--TENDERS WANTED

TENDERS FOR GRAPPLING, RECOVERING and delivering alongside the ship Hattie E. Tapley in Esquimalt Harbor, an ANCHOR AND CHAIN, lost in Royal Roads, will be received by the undersigned until MONDAY next, 19th inst., at noon. For further particulars apply to WELCH, RITHET & CO., Wharf street.

Victoria, Feb. 16th. fe16

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" Nanaimo	on Wednesday	for Comox	
" Comox	on Thursday	for Nanaimo	
" Nanaimo	on Friday	for Burrard Inle	
" Burrard In.	on Saturday	for Victoria	

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25 Spiræa Palmata (this is the most beautiful of the herbaceous meadow sweets) at $1 each.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Osoyoos Division of Yale District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN accordance with the provisions of Section 5, of the "Land Amendment Act, 1879," that the following lands in Osoyoos Division of Yale District will be offered for sale at public auction, at the upset price of one dollar per acre, on Thursday, the 12th day of April next, at the office of T. McK. Lambly, Esq., Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works, Okanagan, viz:—

N. W. ¼ of Section 14, Township No. 9.
N. E. ¼ " 15, " 9.
Lot 20, Group 1.
Lot 58, " 1.
Lot 59, " 1.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., February 7th, 1883. fe9

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of JOHN GERRITSEN, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE DECEASed, or have any of his Effects, are to pay or deliver the same to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against the estate are to present the same forthwith to W. R. CLARKE, fe4 Executor.

ESTATE OF GERARDUS JOHN GERRITSEN, DECEASED.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE DEATH OF MR Gerritsen, the Auction Sale of his Effects, advertised to take place on Monday, the 5th inst., at 11 o'clock a. m., is withdrawn and

TENDERS

Will be received up to MONDAY, the 12th February instant, by the undersigned for the purchase of the eastern half of lot 211 Victoria City, and the lease of the western half of said lot 211, with the Bakery, Stock, Goodwill and Fixtures, comprising the Business Plant of the deceased.

Tenders may be offered either separately or as a whole.

The freehold property, *i. e.* the eastern half of lot 211, yields a rental of $10 per month. Part of the purchase money may remain at a low rate of interest.

The lease of that portion of lot 211 on which the business is carried on (*i. e.* the western half) is subject to a rental of $12 per month, and exclusive of the shop, bakery and premises, yields a rental of $16 per month. The lease expires on the 1st November, 1883; but under the terms of the same may be renewed for a period of five years from that date at the same rental.

To those wishing to embark in a going business the offer now made presents a rare opportunity.

Documents of sale will be at the expense of the purchaser.

For inspection of the premises and stock application must be made to the undersigned, who will also allow perusal of the title deeds of the freehold and leasehold property respectively.

fe4 W. R. CLARKE, Executor.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ASSOCIAtion for the Election of Officers, etc., will be held at the City Hall, Victoria, on THURSDAY, the 15th MARCH, 1883, at 7 o'clock p. m.

THOS. RUSSELL, Secty.
Victoria, B.C., 10th Feb., 1883. fe11dw

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FOR SALE

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

OFFERS ARE CALLED FOR THE PURCHASE of Ninety-Eight Acres (more or less, property of the late Robt. Scott) of land, situated on the Comox Bay, within one mile of the postoffice and wharf, and is in the coal belt between Mr. Dunsmuir's mine and the water. For further particulars apply to

ALEX. URQUHART, } Executors
Or W. M. DINGWALL, } Comox.
Jan. 27th, 1883. ja28dw

BUILDING STONE FOR SALE.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF BUILDING STONE for sale, conveniently situated for removal on the Theatre lot. Apply to JNO. TEAGUE, fe2 Architect, Government street.

TO LET.

THE INTERNATIONAL HOTEL, YATES ST.

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THE OLD ESTABLISHED WAYSIDE HOUSE on the Esquimalt Road and known as the

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Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, FEB. 18TH, 1883.

TELEPHONIC.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Feb. 17—Str Anna, Beck, Nanaimo
Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend
Slp Invincible, San Juan

CLEARED.

Feb. 17—Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend
Str Anna Beck, New Westminster
Slp Invincible, San Juan

PASSENGERS.

Per str NORTH PACIFIC, fm Puget Sound—Ba b cock, Capt Blaisdel, Capt Wright, Mrs McMillan, Mrs Foxhall, Clarke, Reiss, S Raybourne, W Raybourne, J C Morrison, Mrs Norris, Mrs Dr Potts, Dr Harrison, S Lams, Nordman.

Per str PRINCESS LOUISE, fm New Westminster. Mrs Irving, Mrs Chandler, W J Armstrong, T Briggs J Orr, Skinner, Woodward, Matheson, E Seuller, E Connell, H Elliott, T Hannan, W H Smith, Miss Edwards, E M Swickhard, Bishop Brondel.

DEATH.

In this city, on the 16th instant, James William Ralph Leeman, only son of Mrs. Hamilton, aged 31 years.

The funeral will take place from his mother's residence, north Park st, on Thursday next at 2 p.m., and from the First Presbyterian Church, Pandora street, at 2:30 p.m. Friends are invited to attend.

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TO ADVERTISERS.

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Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

FEBRUARY 17, 1883.

Adler, S...l, City
Creen, Harry, North Park street, City
DeVer.., F. E., City
Flocks, .., City
Heywood, J., City
Hampton, Frank, Portland, Ogn.
Moody, T. G., San Rafael, Cal.
Patterson, Master R., South Saanich
Simpson, Miss Adelaide, Sauth Saanich
Teamey, Wm., City

Fast in the Draw.

Yesterday forenoon the schooner Isabella, with a cargo of coal on board for the gas works, attempted to pass through the draw of Rock Bay bridge and in doing so stuck fast. She was there all the afternoon to the no small inconvenience of travel. Several teams were under the necessity of backing off the bridge in both directions before they could turn round within a few minutes after the schooner grounded, and this state of things continued till night fall. There must have been carelessness on the part the of schooner skipper in not approaching the draw till the receding tide left barely enough water to get through on instead of allowing for contingencies by taking the tide at the flood. To make matters worse the council have closed Finlayson's bridge on Government street and consequently travel has to go and come on Douglas, still further round. But this even is not the worst of it. John street, the only other connecting link between the Esquimalt road and this city, is in such a terrible condition as to render it almost impassable. In fact, only for the frost which is not quite out of it, loaded wagons could not get along at all. This stoppage shows conclusively that the council should without further delay make a good alternative road north of Rock Bay so as to hinder travel as little as possible when obstructions occur on the first bridge.

RETAIL ACCOUNTS

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A. B. GRAY & CO.,
WHARF ST., VICTORIA.

17TH FEBRUARY, 1883.

New Westminster.

(Columbian.)

Hastings mill, at Burrard Inlet, has shut down in consequence of the scarcity of logs. There are two ships at Hastings and three at Moodyville.

Small quantities of ice still linger in the river, and the few cold nights of this week have not tended to decrease them. Navigation is still open, however.

A band of cattle for lower country markets passed down from Yale on Wednesday. Much difficulty was experienced in swimming them at Hope, the river being full of ice.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Pandora and Blanchard streets, Rev. Daniel Gamble, minister—Preaching every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good; for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel." oc1 1m

A LECTURE on temperance will be given at the Philharmonic Hall, Fort street, this afternoon, commencing at 4 o'clock, to which superintendents, teachers and children of the different Sabbath schools are cordially invited.

FROM SAN JUAN.—The sloop Invincible which entered yesterday from San Juan brought a quantity of produce consisting of 1 calf, 2 hogs, 2½ dozen chickens, 40 sacks potatoes, 45 dozen eggs.

POLICE COURT.—Yesterday there were no cases before the court.

What Some People Say.

That on the 15th Varonica Baldwin was too ill to appear in the police court at San Francisco.

That Charles Brown, who came to San Francisco in 1829, died on Thursday at San Francisco. He was once rich, but died poor at last.

That Hon. J. W. Trutch was at the Baldwin, S. F., on the 16th.

That Louis Redon, of the Driard, is seeking health amidst the Los Angeles orange groves.

That the new cylinder for steamer Enterprise was finished at the Albion Foundry yesterday, and will shortly be placed in position.

That a general gathering of Blue Ribbon and Bands of Hope will take place at 4 o'clock this afternoon in Philharmonic Hall.

That Spratt's new floating cannery is assuming shape and huge proportions.

That China and Japan buy our dried apples freely. This does American industry help to swell the population of the Orient.—*Boston Transcript.*

That we don't believe in taking the bull by the horns. We tried taking a goat by the horns once, and that was excitement enough for us.

That the only time when a man is generous in drawing the line between his own and his neighbors' property is when he shovels the snow off the sidewalk.

That figures don't lie, unless they are of the feminine gender.

That a prestidigitateur who can turn a mess of eggs into canary birds is clever, but according to the Blue Ribbon Army the man who can drink a house and lot, a pair of horses and a carriage and all his own and his wife's good clothes is worthy of police surveillance or a green grave.

That a game of cards in which the stakes became so large that the host interposed and refused to allow the game to proceed—in fact, turned off the gas and turned out the guests—was attempted to be played in this city the other evening. The fact is, when a player exceeds the ten-cent. limit the safety-line is crossed.

That Joseph Swards, the boy who was concerned in the daylight robbery of O'Shea's pawnbrokery at Portland, died of consumption in the Oregon State prison a few days ago.

That Wagner, the composer, died of heart disease.

That in the City of Brussels collision case it has been decided that the Kirby Hall is liable to the extent of £8 per ton for the cargo lost and £15 per ton for the lives lost.

That the U. S. steamer Corwin will go to Empire City to investigate the conduct of the lightkeeper in refusing to allow the lifeboat to go to the rescue of the Tacoma's people.

That Sullivan and Slade will fight in six months' time for $5000 aside.

That the Western Trunk roads are cutting rates again and the public are jubilant

That Seattle is filled with strangers. All the hotels are overflowing with guests.

That Winnipeg, in 1882, rose from 12,000 population to 30,000, its assessment increased $9,000,000, rising to $30,000,000, and will reach $40,000,000 this year; eight square miles were added to its area, twenty-nine and a half miles of sidewalk and 270 street crossings were laid, 250 culverts were constructed, and nearly thirty miles of streets were graded.

That the next social will be held in the Methodist Church on Tuesday evening the 27th inst. *

That attention is called to the request for tenders for certain valuable coal lands situated in Nanaimo district, which must be handed in to Mr. Registrar Prevost by the 28th Feb. *

That two newly furnished rooms are to let with or without breakfast, on Pandora avenue. Address "B. C." at *The Colonist* office. *

The House.

This body will meet on Monday in pursuance of adjournment, but owing to the detention of the east coast steamer last night the premier did not arrive and no executive council could be held. It is not improbable, therefore, that a further adjournment will be asked, as the ministers have not been able to meet since reelected.

The Churches.

Rev. G. B. Allen, rector of Grace Church, Petaluma, California, will preach at the R. E. Church this morning and evening.

Rev. Mr. Bird, of Seattle, W. T., will preach at the Pandora Street Presbyterian Church this morning and evening.

Rev. Mr. James, of Centerville, will preach in the Baptist meeting-house, Masonic building, Douglas street, this evening at 7 o'clock. All are invited.

THE WYMAN COMEDY CO.—Last evening another fair house greeted the company. The bill of fare was very good, the play being "Andy Blake," with an olio and the pantomime "Little Humpty Dumpty." The part of "Andy Blake," by Mrs. Wyman was well received and she was ably supported by the other characters. In the olio Mr. Wyman's German elucidations, and F. Sawyer's "heifer dance" excited much applause; as also did the character impersonations of Mr. C. M. Gray. The pantomime was in dumb show and was very amusing and the hornpipe by Miss Lulu Wilson was much applauded. On Thursday night the new theatre will be opened in St. Charles Hall, when the piece of the evening will be the "Black Diamond," and we have no doubt a crowded house will mark the occasion.

IMPORTANT INVENTION.—Mr. S. L. Kelly has perfected his invention for freezing fish and landing them sweet and beautiful at the great markets of the world for consumption. Yesterday he exhibited at the Vienna market a block of ice in which were encased four fine salmon. The process is at present a secret; but Mr. Kelly proposes to form a company with a capital of $10,000, divided into 400 shares of $25 each and proceed to pack and ship the fish.

HEAVY RAINFALL.—Yesterday morning about an inch of snow covered the streets and sidewalks, but it gradually became softer and finally settled into a steady rain. For a few hours it was light, but in the afternoon it came heavier and continued to fall in torrents throughout the night.

M. P. P's.—Messrs. Armstrong and Orr arrived yesterday from New Westminster. Messrs. Smithe, Dunsmuir, Dingwall and Raybould were on board the steamer which laid in Cadboro Bay last night to avoid the gale.

FROM THE SOUND.—Yesterday at noon the steamer North Pacific arrived from the Sound with passengers and 23 tons of freight.

Spratt's Floating Fishery.

Mr. Spratt's new floating fishery now being built on the wharf at the Albion Iron Works is already in frame, and in model very much resembles a gigantic scow. It is 140 feet long, 33 ft. 6 in. beam, 8 ft. 6 in. moulded amidship and 9 ft. aft. The vessel has a double 7 in. frame 2 ft from centre to centre, screw bolted, which joins the floor timbers almost at a right angle, the whole of the fastening being screw bolts. She will have three keels 10 in. by 12 in each, and five kelsons 12 in. by 14 in. On the main deck will be a house two stories high, the upper story being fitted as quarters for the captain and crew, while below on the main deck will be the working department for the manufacture of oil and the canning of salmon, the hold being devoted to the boilers and engine and the storage of oil. The deck houses will extend very nearly the entire length of the vessel forward, terminating on the upper deck in a pilot house, immediately in front of which will be placed the mast, carrying a large square sail and jib. The funnel will be placed aft. The hull will be as strongly built as possible so as to be able to stand a sea, and will be both copper-fastened and coppered. She will be furnished with all the latest improved apparatus, both for the manufacture of fish oil and the canning of salmon as occasion may serve, including four oil retorts, one salmon retort, soldering machine, etc., and the main deck will have a ventilator running fore and aft with an outlet through the upper story The motive power of this floating factory will consist of a 30-horse power engine supplied by two steam boilers 50 inches in diameter and 16 feet long, and the power by means of suitable gearing can either be used for moving the vessel by means of a pair of twin screws at the stern, when a change of locality is desirable, or applied to manufacturing purposes. It is probable this is the first floating fishery constructed on this principle in these waters. The vessel will be steered by means of two balanced rudders and at the stern will be placed two davits for the use of the fishing boats and there will also be four others, two on each side for use of the scows and on the upper deck racks for nets and other fishing gear will be provided. Such is an outline of one of the largest and best fitted floating fishery yet constructed, and as the venture is in some measure an experiment on this coast, Mr. Spratt deserves all the more credit for his enterprise, which if successful will doubtless soon be followed by others.

IMITATION BAKI G POWDERS.

TO THE PUBLIC:

The public is cautioned against the practice of many grocers who sell what they claim to be Royal Baking Powder, loose or in bulk, without label or trademark. All such powders are base imitations. Analysis of hundreds of samples of baking powders sold in bulk to parties asking for the Royal have shown them all to be largely adulterated, mostly with alum, dangerous for use in food, and comparatively valueless for leavening purposes.

The public is too well aware of the injurious effect of alum upon the system to need further caution against the use of any baking powders made from this drug; but the dealer's assurance, "Oh, it's just as good as Royal," or, "it's the genuine Royal, only we buy it by the barrel to save expense of can," etc., is apt to mislead the unsuspecting consumers into buying an article which they would not knowingly use in their food under any consideration. The only safety from such practices is in buying baking powder only in the original package, of a well known brand, and a thoroughly established reputation.

The Royal Baking Powder is sold only in cans, securely closed with the Company's trade mark label, and the weight of package stamped on each cover. It is never sold in bulk, by the barrel, or loose by weight or measure, and all such offered to the public under any pretense are imitations.

If consumers will bear these facts in mind, and also see that the package purchased is properly labeled, and the label unbroken, they will be always sure of using a baking powder perfectly pure and wholesome, and of the highest test strength in the market.

J. C. HOAGLAND, President,
Royal Baking Powder Co., N. Y.

Marine.

The coasting steamer Crescent City sailed Friday morning from San Francisco for Wilmington, from which place she will tow to San Francisco the British bark Manlich, recently disabled about 600 miles off the coast during a gale, which so severely strained the vessel that she sprang a leak, and the crew with difficulty kept her afloat. When she arrived at Wilmington the crew were completely exhausted and several prostrated by overwork.

The barque Katie Flickinger will load lumber on the Sound for Fiji.

Clearances on Friday at Portland were the Berwick Law, with 59,597 bushels wheat; the Galatea, with 31,165 bushels wheat, and the El Capitan, with 41,753 bushels wheat.

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 15.—The British barque British Duke, just arrived from S. F., had her decks much damaged by heavy weather.

Arrived at San Francisco on the 15th, steamer Dakota, Victoria and Sound ports.

Rescued at Sea.

The steamer Tokio brought to San Francisco six South Sea Islanders. They were found adrift in a dying condition, in a boat containing ten persons, five of whom had died of starvation. They were so emaciated, especially a woman, that their recovery was considered impossible. They say they attempted to cross from one island to another when a storm overtook them and drove them to sea, out of sight of land. They had nothing to eat but a little pulverized banana, and a few gallons of water to drink. The woman gave birth to a boy on the ship, which died shortly after. When they were rescued and stepped aboard the ship they fell on their knees and praised the Almighty for deliverance.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—Steamer Princess Louise arrived from New Westminster yesterday afternoon. She had no difficulty in getting up the river, although a little float ice is still running up and down with the tide.

PERSONAL.—Capt. Blasdell and G. B. Wright, Esq., were among the passengers by the steamer North Pacific.

BUDWEISER.—A shipment of Budweiser just received by Neufelder & Ross. *

FOR THE NORTH.—The steam-schooner Grace will leave for the north on the 22.

Washington Territory.

NEW TACOMA, Feb. 14.—In the ship Challenger case the trial of Capt. R. M. Mountfort abruptly terminated this morning at the close of the evidence He was charged with manslaughter in causing the death of a seaman, who fell overboard. Some time had elapsed since last being seen on the forecastle before being missed was reported to the captain. On motion of J. C. Haines, attorney for defendant, the court instructed the jury to render a verdict of not guilty, because of failure of proof of the allegations of the indictment.

WALLA WALLA, Feb. 14.—Wheat dealers who have examined into the crops, report them in number one condition. The prospects for a larger yield than ever before in eastern Oregon and Washington are good.

The long trial of the first and second mates of the ship Challenger, at New Tacoma, ended on Wednesday evening. The first mate, Conway, upon two charges, received five years and six months. The second officer, Bennet, upon five charges, got four years and nine months.

San Francisco Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.

Wheat is higher, $1.90@1.95 Flour higher, $6@6.10 for best city extra. Barley firmer, feed $1 10.

WIND-BOUND.—The Nanaimo steamer was reported wind-bound in Cadboro Bay last night.

SALTING.—Mr. Helgesen, M. P. P., is about to commence salting salmon for shipment at Sooke harbor.

PERSONAL.—E. Crow Baker, Esq., M.P. arrived at Ottawa on the 11th inst.

THE Blue Ribbonists held another successful meeting last evening and many joined the army.

Not Cold in Manitoba.

[From the Winnipeg Times, Jan. 25.]

The highest piece of buncombe ever perpetrated upon a long-suffering community is the oft-repeated tale that "you don't feel the cold in Manitoba." Of course you don't. When you see men shuffling along Main street as fast as they can shuffle, their fur caps pulled down over their eyes and ears; their faces covered with mufflers; their bodies wrapped up in heavy furs; warm moccasins on their feet, fur gloves on their hands, and for all that with a huge hump on their backs, you are not to suppose they go about like that because they feel the cold. Not a bit of it. It's the wonderful enthusiasm produced by the ozone in the air of Manitoba which makes the people just a trifle eccentric. When you see a man leaning up against a fence or the side of a house to thaw out, he isn't cold. It's nothing but that confounded ozone in the air stirring up his enthusiasm again. No one ever feels the cold here, the atmosphere is so dry, so bracing, so exhilarating, so utterly too too in its vigor, that the people merely light stoves and burn coal out of pure compassion for the coal dealers, who have got to live just like others. When the mercury goes 40 ° below zero, as it did last night, it isn't cold. It's only just beginning to feel warm then, and all this talk about frozen ears and noses, blistered fingers and hands, is only indulged in by spiteful people, jealous of the ozone in our atmosphere. You don't feel the cold in Manitoba. Never lose sight of that one solid fact. It is truer than the gospel of Ecclesiasticus, and when some poor fellow gets frozen to death on the prairie, rest assured that he never felt it, but just laid down out of pure spite and died. When you are told over fifty times a day on the street, by passing friends and acquaintances, that, "it's a stinger," you must remember that they are referring to some bygone event, which happened before you were born, and means no reference whatever to the wonderful ozone of Manitoba.

Last night was the warmest experienced in Winnipeg for a century. The fact that the mercury froze in many thermometers was nothing but the mean wretched spite which affects even thermometers. They knew it was a warm pleasant night, but the ozone affected even their enthusiasm, and they had to do something eccentric. We haven't had a cold day this winter yet. Nothing but ozone and enthusiasm.

Fashion Notes for the Ladies.

Freckles will be much worn next summer.

Tan-color is much in vogue, especially in the country.

The latest fashion in art work is fly specks on old china.

Face powders grow in popularity, and are sold by all druggists.

Heavy plaid shawls and fur jackets are being used everywhere—by moths.

Light blue milk with fly insertion is much in vogue at afternoon hotel "teas."

There is a revival this season in prickly heat, and mosquito bars are being much used.

There is a growing inclination among fashionable people to put down low-necked dresses.

Among the ladies, newspapers, slashed and cut bias, with decollette margins, are much used at all seasons.

The fashionable ladies' husbands wear shirts without buttons. They pin their collars on behind with a nail.

The hair is now worn box-plaited and shirred with bouffant trimmings behind, and when lawn-tennis lambrequins, cut bias, are hung over the ears, it is considered quite dressy.

Fashionable mottoes for pillow shams are "Good-night," "Bon Soir," "Did you forget to lock the front door?" "Sweetly Dream," and "Be sure and leave the milk pitcher out."

A late fashion note says: "Surah and fourlard night-dresses are becoming bouffant." For a long time we have feared that something of that sort would happen to that kind of a night-shirt but we hate to say anything about it.

A LARGE SALE.

C. J Judson, of Wallaceburg, takes great pleasure in saying that Burdock Blood Bitters is having a largely increased sale; he says he has received numbers of testimonials to its virtues in the ailments for which it is recommended. (20)

BEAUTIFUL HAIR is one of the most striking and pleasing characteristics and can easily be obtained by using Cingalese Hair Renewer. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all druggists. dwly

JOHN JEFFRY & Co.'s XXX Edinburgh Ale and Walker's Warrington XXX always on draught at the OCCIDENTAL, corner Wharf and Johnson streets. *

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Publication will shortly be commenced of a four-page weekly under the name of *Wah-May*, or *Chinese-American*. If successful it proposes to appear as a daily. The first and second pages will be devoted to the current events of the day in the Chinese vernacular, translated into English on the third and fourth pages. As the sixty thousand Chinese characters are not represented in type, the news will be painted and then photo lithographed. Its editor and general of the staff, Kim Wing, put in an appearance this morning at the central station with a view of obtaining the facts of the recent Chinese cutting affray.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—The Odd Fellows' building and lot at No. 325 Montgomery street have been sold for $150,000. The purchaser was Mrs. Pope. It is the intention of the Odd Fellows association to begin the erection of a fine building to accommodate the library and lodges of the order on Market or Mission streets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—The revenue steamer Corwin has received orders to proceed to Oregon immediately.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 15.—Early this morning, a party of legislators were playing cards at the Golden Eagle, among whom were Senator Cronin, of the thirteenth district, and James Farrelly, sergeant-at-arms of the assembly. A dispute over a game culminated in Cronin drawing a pistol on Farrelly. Just as a member of the party knocked his hand to one side, he fired. The bullet passed within a few inches of Farrelly's head.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—A heavy storm has prevailed throughout the state for the past 48 hours, followed at intervals by hail and in some territories by considerable snow. As a general rule the rainfall exceeds that of the past season, and farmers are consequently jubilant. Early sown crops are in excellent condition and in the lower counties the grape prospects were never better. The previous damage done by the cold weather which continued some time after the holidays, it is believed will be repaired by the extensive fall of rain of the past few days. Hopes of a bountiful harvest promise to be realized.

Drewey John Tallant, one of the oldest and best known local bankers, died here last evening. The deceased was a native of England and came to the coast in '49. The bank which bore his name passed through the financial crises successfully.

A private letter received here to-day, states that the wife of George J. Wheeler, the strangler, twice convicted of the murder of his sister-in-law, Della Tillson, died at her home in Massachusetts last month.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Charles J. Jackson, late pay-roll clerk in the office of the superintendent of streets, was arrested this afternoon on six charges of forgery, a reiteration of those upon which the recent arrest of his deputies were based. His bail was set at $12,000. Both his bondsmen were rejected. The end is not yet, as there are rumors that even the head of the department will be brought within the pale of the law.

A large tract af land in Salinas valley, bordering on the Southern railroad, was recently purchased by flour merchants of this city for the purpose of manufacturing flour on an extensive scale for shipment to Europe. It is said that within a radius of twenty-five miles there are not less than eight large grain warehouses. The projected mill will be furnished with the latest improvements and is expected to have a capacity of 500 barrels a day.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16. — A water scheme of considerable magnitude is announced, by which it is proposed to bring water from the source of the Tuolamne river in the Sierra Nevada mountains by a direct line to San Francisco. Franchises have been obtained for supplying the towns of Stockton, Modesto, Livermore and Oakland, and advances in a similar direction have been made to the supervisors here. The point where the water will be taken is Mount Lyell, 1800 feet above the San Francisco level. The watershed drained is eight hundred miles square and the supply inexhaustible.

The action of the water company causes considerable speculation as to the ultimate results which may or may not be exceedingly serious. In private circles the advisability and appointment of a committee to appraise the actual value of the company's property, for the purpose of condemning it on the ground of urgent public necessity. is freely canvassed and meets with many hearty supporters.

Loss of Life by Railway Travel

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—The *Railway Age* has tables showing the number of passengers carried for the year ending June 18, 1880. According to the census it was 170,000,000, and of employés 419,000. Of passengers only 61 were killed, without their own carelessness, or one to every 4,419,000, while of employés 260 were killed, or one in every 1611. One passenger to every 814,421 received injuries, and one employé to every 417. One passenger in every 328,800 was killed by his own carelessness, and one to every 1,266,000 was injured. An astonishing feature is the small danger to ordinarily careful passengers. The injuries to employés shows a very high rate and the mortality is terrible.

THE GREAT NATURAL DEMAND.

In order to supply the great natural demand for a remedy of real merit, one capable of cleansing the system, purifying the blood, regulating the liver, and acting on the bowels, the California Fig Syrup Company has commenced the manufacture on a laage scale of a concentrated Syrup of Figs, and is sending out trial bottles to be given away, so that it costs nothing to try it and convince yourself of its efficacy. And as every family needs a bottle it is also for sale in 75 cent and $1.25 bottles at Langley & Co.'s Drug Store, Agents for B.C. 3

Notice.

During the sale, the undersigned respectfully request that customers will not ask for samples.

SHEARS & PARTRIDGE,
London House.

Feb. 6th, 1883. *

WHAT IS BETTER than presence of mind in case of accidents? Why, absence of body, of course. Be prepared for accidents and emergencies by having a bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil, the great external and internal remedy for all pain, soreness, lameness, sprains, bruises, burns, frost bites, colds cramps, etc. (24)

A GREAT vegetable tonic for delicate females, is Pfunder's Oregon BLOOD PURIFIER. *

THE LIEUTENANT'S PETITION.

To the Senate of the United States:
Pity the sorrow of a poor subaltern
Whose years of service mount up to two score—
Whose chase toward rank still leaves him far astern.
O give relief (and then he'll ask for no more).

The silver bar in which low rank may speak,
The silv'ry crown 'neath which my head appears,
Shou'd tell the tale (I could had I the check
That's paired with rank), and thus compel your tears.

The slender maid who placed her hands in mine
The golden day when first I won that bar,
*Is now a matron, fat and thirty-nine,
And lots of little maidens call me pa!

While I, alas! still struggle hard to foot
With my poor pay th' increasing monthly bills;
In one room and a kitchen must I strive to put
Wife, girls—our babe, the last new thing in frills.

Behold this hero!—brave, and true, and doughty
A score of years ago, but now all day
Listless he sits—he's sixty-odd and gouty,
And makes no sign save when he draws his pay.

And this one here the front of battle stept in
To win his straps at bloody Monterey;
He was no chicken then—still is the old cock kept in
A place in which he's only in the way.

For, when his company goes out on duty,
He stops at home—he cannot walk or ride;
The work then falls on me, but not the extra booty;
'Tis only this our seniors don't divide.

With those who've waited long, are waiting still,
Who've waited until both heads and hearts are gray,
We ask the passage of the Army bill,
And your petitioners will ever pray.

MUGGINS.

*Here Mrs. M. moved to strike out all after the enacting clause.
—*Army and Navy Journal.*

DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS LOADED.

A negro boy at Jessup, Ga., the other day, put a toy pistol to the back of his sister's head and pulled the trigger. The bullet passed through the girl's neck and she is not expected to live. He didn't know it was loaded.

David Taylor, a lad, whose home was in Issaquena county, Miss., while examining his gun one day last week, rested his foot on the hammer and looked in at the muzzle. His head was blown off. He didn't know it was loaded.

The other day, says the Nevada, Calafornia Transcript, a Grass Valley boy named Wilson picked up a gun, and, after examination, concluded it was not loaded. He pointed it at a boy named Van Orden and it went off, the charge just missing the latter's head. There should be a law for the suppression of people who don't know how to handle an "unloaded gun." He didn' know it was loaded.

Michael Baran was courting his girl, Miss Dvorak, in Baltimore, last week. In play he drew from his hip-pocket a seven-shooter. Pointing the weapon at Miss. Dvorak, he remarked, "I'm going to shoot you!" and pulled the trigger. Fortunately the weapon failed to discharge. Baran then pointed the revolver at his left breast and pulled again. The ball lodged somewhere inside the ribs. He didn't know it was loaded.

Gottlieb Beck, an employe in the bakery of George Kober, in New Haven, was shot a few days ago by William Rabanus, a boarder with Kober. Rabanus was going out shooting and on looking at his pistol found a shell in the barrel. He pulled the trigger to see if it would explode, and as it did not he concluded it had been fired before. He went down stairs where Beck was sifting flour. Rabanus pointed the pistol in sport at Beck saying: "Your money or your life." Beck dropped the sieve, pretending to search his pockets and said he had but a few cents. Rabanus pulled the trigger and the cartridge exploded. Rabanus terrified, cried out, "Oh, God! I didn't know it was loaded." Drs. Mailhouse and Hubrie extracted the ball from between the shoulder-blades, it entering at the abdomen. The physician thinks he will die in a day or two. He didn't know it was loaded.

SPITTING FIRE.

Exposure of a Startling Trick.

A Chicago despatch says: The interest created here by the report that a man named Underwood could ignite handkerchiefs by merely breathing upon them has resulted in experiments which disclose that what he has done has been the revival of an old schoolboy trick with phosphorus. A physician thus explained to a reporter: "You see, when I read the articles in the papers, I went out and got a little phosphorus Now, you know that is a poison, and you also know that to prevent its taking fire it must be kept in water. As long as you keep it in your mouth and moisten it there is no danger. You saw what I did. I would wash out my mouth all day long, drink water, gargle—as you saw me do—but, mind you, I would not like to swallow the poison. Now, look at it. I put it alongside my gums and show you my mouth, let you look at my gums, gargle my throat, drink water do everything except let you see it. But suppose you did see it? You never would imagine what it was. It might be a relic of my dinner. You see how small it is. Then I take this handkerchief and put it to my mouth, and while I breathe on it I put the phosphorus out on it. Then I rub a little—and there you are," and, suiting the action to the word, the doctor placed a handkerchief before his mouth and instantly a flame shot from it, and had he not snatched it away from his mouth and trampled it under foot, the handkerchief would have been entirely consumed.

DON'T DO IT.

Never drug the stomach with nauseating and weakening expectorants and opiates; Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is pleasant and reliable in its effects, and safe in all throat and lung complaints that, if neglected, end in consumption. (21)

HIGHLY SATISFACTORY.

Impure blood and low vitality are the great sources of most diseases for which Burdock Blood Bitters is the specific. S. Perrin, Druggist, of Lindsay, writes that Burdock Blood Bitters give more general satisfaction than any blood purifier in the market. (22)

IT NEVER FAILS.

If all other remedies have failed to afford relief there is one that will never disappoint you, and that one is Syrup of Figs. The strong and the weak alike find it powerful for good; harmless, yet thorough, always giving strength to the bowels, so that regular habits may be formed and the system restored to a healths condition. Each bottle contains from twenty to thirty average doses, and the dollar and a quarter bottles more than double. For sale by Langley & Co., Druggist, Victoria. 6

ANNOUNCEMENT!

A. B. GRAY & CO., beg to announce that they have disposed of their retail business to Messrs. BROWN & WHITE.

We desire to thank our customers for the liberal patronage accorded to us in the past, and solicit a continuance of the same to the above named firm.

We will in the future devote ourselves to the WHOLESALE TRADE of the province, and will from this date occupy the commodious premises, corner of Wharf and Bastion streets, formerly occupied by Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co.

A. B. GRAY & Co.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 31, 1883.

THE LIVER is the most important of all the glandular organs, acting as a filter for the blood; when obstructed in its functions, serious illness ensues. Burdock Blood Bitters act upon the liver, the bowels and the kidneys, while purifying and toning the system. (23)

EVENING COMMERCIAL SCHOOL.—Plain and ornamental penmanship, single and double entry bookkeeping, commercial arithmetic, etc., is taught at Feaster's evening commercial school in Russell's brick, up stairs, corner Government and Johnson streets. *

A SURE cure for dyspepsia. The Oregon BLOOD PURIFIER. Use before meals as directed. *

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. *Sold only in Cans.* ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall-st., N.Y. se26dw1y

VICTORIA

CANDY FACTORY.

HAVING ENLARGED THE SHOP PREMISES, also the Manufacturing Department, I am PREPARED TO MANUFACTURE FOR THE TRADE AT LOWEST RATES.

Having purchased the right to manufacture the well known

ROBETS' COUGH DROPS,

Of London, and

COLT'S FOOT ROCK OF THE FINEST QUALITY, FOR COUGHS & COLDS,

The public are invited to try them and be convinced.

THE ONLY PURE CANDY in the Province, and a fine assortment of CAKES, FRUIT, Etc,

W. J. TIPPINS,

FORT STREET, between Broad and Douglas streets above Fell's Block.

REMEMBER—NO CREDIT. fe6dw

GAM LUN TAY,

CHINESE

GROCERY, PROVISION

— AND —

TEA STORE,

CORMORANT STREET,

BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AND DOUGLAS STREETS,

VICTORIA, B. C.

THIS FIRM HAVE TWO FACTORIES, ONE IN Canton and another in Hongkong, therefore possess superior facilities for replenishing their Stock and filling large or small orders promptly.

Goods will be sent to any part of the Country on Short Notice, at Reasonable Rates and on Liberal Terms.

WE HAVE IN STOCK THE

THE LARGEST AND BEST ASSORTMENT OF TEAS IN THE PROVINCE.

THE STOCK INCLUDES

FORTY-NINE DIFFERENT BRANDS.

TEA

AT 35, 40, 50, 60 AND 75 CENTS,

$1, $1 50, $1 75, $2 50, $3, $3 60, $6 & $6 75

PER POUND.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the late John Bissell are requested to send them in to the undersigned before 1st March next.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
Solicitors for Executors.

6th February, 1883. fe7 1m

STOVES, TINWARE,

TINSMITHING, ETC.

J. B. CLARKE & CO.,

YATES STREET. (FORMERLY KEAYS.) de1

NOTICE.

OWING TO A CONTEMPLATED CHANGE IN the proprietorship of the Royal Hotel, the undersigned has

REMOVED TO THE PREMISES ONE DOOR EAST OF MR. M. R. SMITH'S BAKERY, FORT ST.

As usual a full line of

CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES

AT REASONABLE RATES,

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Thanking his numerous customers for their liberal patronage in the past, he asks a continuance of the same.

JOHN HAWKINS.

Victoria, Feb. 1, 1883 fe1 1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

ESQUIMALT

Graving Dock,

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, British Columbia, and at the offices of Messrs. Kinipple & Morris, Engineers, Westminster and Greenock, N. B., until the

15TH FEBRUARY, 1883,'

— FOR THE —

CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF THE PARTIALLY-FINISHED GRAVING DOCK AT ESQUIMALT HARBOR,

According to Plans and Specifications prepared by the above Engineers, and comprising the following works, viz:—

The completion of a part of constructed Graving Dock 400 ft. long by 90 ft. broad at the top inside coping level; width of floor, 41 feet; depth from high water level (spring tide) to invert, 26 ft. 6 in.; Wings and Harbor Quay Walls; Engine and Boiler Houses; Chimney; Pump; Well; Culvert, &c., and erection of the Pumping Machinery and Maintenance and Removal of Cofferdam.

Plans, Specifications and Bills of Quantities and Form of Tender can be seen at the Land Office, Victoria, at the offices of the above Engineers, and at the Public Works Department, Ottawa, and printed copies of the Specifications and Bills of Quantities will be furnished to intending contractors upon making a deposit of $20 to be returned after the tenders are opened to parties sending in *bona fide* tenders.

None other than the printed form of tender will be received, nor will the lowest tender be necessarily accepted.

The contractor must find two sureties, to be approved of by the undersigned, who are willing with him to be bound in the sum of $25,000 for the due fulfilment of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless accompanied by a Bank Cheque, or other available security, for $3,000, which will be returned to parties whose tenders are not accepted.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 17th Nov., 1882. ja31

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY' OFFICE,
29th January, 1883.

HIS HONOUR THE LIETENANT-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

WILLIAM SMITHE, Esquire, to be Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the Province of British Columbia.

ALEXANDER EDMUND BATSON DAVIE, Esquire, to be Attorney-General for the Province of British Columbia.

JOHN ROBSON, Esquire, to be Provincial Secretary and Minister of Mines, and Minister of Finance and Agriculture, for the Province of British Columbia.

MONTAGUE WILLIAM TYRWHITT DRAKE, Esquire, to be President of the Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia. ja30dw

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[L.S.] CLEMENT F. CORNWALL.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of Cowichan.

WHEREAS A VACANCY HAS HAPpened in the Legislative Assembly by the acceptance of office of the Honourable William Smithe, a member for the Electoral District of Cowichan. We command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause election to be made according to law, of a member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the Electoral District of Cowichan, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on , and do cause the name of such Member when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the thirty-first day of March next, the Election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia.

WITNESS, The Honorable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Our Lieutenant-Governor, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the Twenty-ninth day of January, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

By Command.

JAMES CHARLES PREVOST,
ja30dw Registrar Supreme Court.

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of Coal land situate at Hesquiat Harbor, Vancouver Island, described as follows:—

Commencing at the Southeast corner of Rev. Brabant's claim; from thence along the shore East, 80 chains; from thence South 80 chains; from thence West 40 chains; from thence North 80 chains, to point of commencement.

REGINALD NUTTALL.
Victoria, Nov. 6th, 1882. no12

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of Coal land, situate at Hesquiat Harbor, Vancouver Island, described as follows:—

Commencing at the Southwest point of small cove near claim No. 8; from thence South 40 chains; from thence East 40 chains; from thence North 40 chains; from thence West 40 chains, to point of commencement.

REGINALD NUTTALL.
Victoria, Nov. 6th, 1882. no12

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situate at the head of Gardner Channel, on the South side:

Commencing at a post marked A, running South 40 chains to post B; thence West 40 chains, to post C; thence North 40 chains, to post D; thence along the shore to place of commencement.

JOHN McALISTER.
Victoria, B.C., November 6th, 1882. de9

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Nine Hundred and Fourteen acres of land situate in Nicola Valley and known as Section 9 and South half of Section 10, Township 91, and Lot 166 Group 1, Kamloops Division, Yale District.

no25 A. A. GREEN.

MEDICAL.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY.

Is a never-failing Cure for Nervous Debility, Exhausted Vitality, Weakness of any kind, Paralysis, Prostatorrhœa, and all the terrible effects of youthful follies and excesses in maturer years. Those who cannot visit DR. MINTIE in San Francisco should send a full and minute statement of their troubles with $25, and in return a full course of treatment will be forwarded securely packed so as not to excite curiosity.

DR. MINTIE will agree to forfeit **FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS** for a case of this kind the **VITAL RESTORATIVE** (under his special advice and treatment) will not cure, or for anything impure or injurious found in it. **DR. MINTIE** treats all Diseases successfully without mercury. **CONSULTATION FREE.** Thorough examination and advice $5 00. Price of **VITAL RESTORATIVE,** $3 00 a bottle, or four times the quantity, $10; sent to any address upon receipt of price, or C.O.D., secure from observation, and in private name if desired, by **A. E. MINTIE, M. D., KEARNEY STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.**

SAMPLE BOTTLE FREE sent on application by letter stating symptoms, sex and age. Communications strictly confidential.

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DR. SPINNEY & CO'S DISPENSARY,

No. 11 KEARNEY STREET SAN FRANCISCO.

DR. SPINNEY, well known as the founder of the Montreal (C. E.) Medical Institute, and late Proprietor of the SPINNEYVILLE INFIRMARY would most respectfully inform his patients and the afflicted generally, that he still continues to treat chronic and nervous diseases with unparalleled success.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN

Remember that procrastination is the thief

COME AND BE HEALED

It matters not what you troubles may be, come and let the Doctor examine your case. It will cost you nothing for consultation, so please call and satisfy yourselves whether the Doctor understands your case. If he can cure you he will tell you so; if not, he will tell you that, for he will not undertake a case unless he is confident of effecting a cure.

Parties at a distance wishing treatment, by sending $25 and a minute description of their troubles will receive in return a full course of treatment securely packed so as not to excite curiosity.

DR. SPINNEY will guarantee to forfeit Five Hundred Dollars for every case of any kind or character which he undertakes and fails to cure.

N. B.—For diseases of short standing a full course of medicines, sufficient for a cure, with all instructions, will be sent to any address on receipt of $10.00

Call or Address

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GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

TRADE MARK The great English Remedy will promptly and radically cure any and every case of Nervous Debility and Weakness, result of Indiscretion, excess or overwork of the brain and nervous TRADE MARK

BEFORE TAKING system; it is perfectly harmless, acts like magic, and has been extensively used for over thirty years with great success. Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to everyone. The Specific Medicine is sold by all druggists at $1 per package, or six packages for $5, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money, by addressing THE GRAY MEDICINE CO., Toronto, Ont. Sold by all Druggists in Canada and the United States. de26

[L.S.] CLEMENT F. CORNWALL.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of Lillooet.

WHEREAS A VACANCY HAS HAPpened in the Legislative Assembly by the acceptance of office of the Honorable ALEXANDER EDMUND BATSON DAVIE, a member for the Electoral District of Lillooet, We command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause election to be made according to law, of a Member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the Electoral District of Lillooet, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on and do cause the name of such Member when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the thirty-first day of March next, the Election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia:

WITNESS, The Honorable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Our Lieutenant Governor, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the Twenty-ninth day of January, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

By Command.

JAMES CHARLES PREVOST,
ja30dw Registrar Supreme Court.

[L.S.] CLEMENT F. CORNWALL.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of New Westminster.

WHEREAS A VACANCY HAS HAPpened in the Legislative Assembly by the acceptance of office of the Honourable JOHN ROBSON, a member for the Electoral District of New Westminster, We command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause election to be made according to law, of a Member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the Electoral District of New Westminster, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on , and do cause the name of such Member when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the thirty-first day of March next, the Election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia:

WITNESS, The Honorable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Our Lieutenant-Governor, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the Twenty-ninth day of January, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

By Command.

JAMES CHARLES PREVOST,
ja30dw Registrar Supreme Court.

VICTORIA HIDE DEPOT.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR

HIDES, SHEEP AND DEER SKINS

OFFICE REMOVED TO WHARF STREET, DIRECTLY OPPOSITE J. P. DAVIES & CO'S AUCTION ROOMS.

H. BORNSTEIN.

N. B.—Liberal Cash Advances made on consignments.

AGENT for Louis Shloss & Co., San Francisco. ly8

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HOME-MADE FURNITURE

SOLD CHEAPER THAN IMPORTED FURNITURE

INTENDING PURCHASERS AR CORDIALLY invited to call and convince themselves of the fact

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Is now prepared with STEAM POWER and the late improved Machinery to manufacture every class of Furniture at such

EXTREMELY LOW PRICES

As will defy competition from imported goods.

Full Bedroom Sets from $30 up; Extension Dining Tables from $12 up; Chairs from 75cts. up.

Satisfactory workmanship guaranteed.

Wood turning, scroll & band sawing done to order

ALSO—Received ex recent arrivals a large and well selected stock of Tapestry and Brussels

CARPET, FLOOR OILCLOTH LINOLEUM, ETC.,

Which will be sold at the lowest prices for Cash.

Window blinds, curtains, cornices and poles, picture frames, moulding, perambulators, velocipedes &c. Also, an assortment of marbleized iron mantle pieces and grates complete at very low prices.

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OFFICE OF THE CONTRACTORS

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

YALE, March 1st, 1881

NEW SCHEDULE OF WAGES FOR WHITE LABOR

— ON THE —

Canadian Pacific Railway

IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Overseers	$125 ₱ month
Rock Foreman	$3 to $4 ₱ day
Earth Foremen	$2 25 to $3 "
Bridge Foremen	$3 "
Bridge Carpenters (1st class)	$3 "
do do (2d class)	$2 50 "
Masons	$2 50 to $3 "
Blacksmiths (1st class)	$3 "
do (2d class)	$2 50 "
do (helpers)	$1 50 to $2 "
Drillers	$1 75 to $2 "
Laborers	$1 50 to $1 75 "
1st Class Hewers	$3 50 "
1st Class Choppers	$2 50 "
1st Class Scorers	$2 50 "

All outside labor 10 hours per day.

All carpenters to furnish their own chest tools.

All employés find themselves bed, board and lodging.

Boarding Houses will be convenient along the line.

Board $4 per week.

It will not be compulsory for employés to board in the Company's houses

Wages will be paid monthly on the 10th of each month.

A. ONDERDONK,
mh13 General Manager.

— ASK FOR —

Union India Rubber Co.'s

Pure Para Gum

CRACKPROOF RUBBER BOOTS.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS!

Be sure the Boots are stamped *CRACK PROOF* on the heels, and have the *PURE GUM SPRINGS* on the foot and instep, which prevent their cracking or breaking. We are now making them with RUBBER AND ASBESTOS Soles which will make them last more than twice as long as any Rubber Boots made

FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS.

ALL KINDS RUBBER BELTING, PACKING HOSE, SPRINGS, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, Etc.

GOODYEAR RUBBER COMP'Y

R. H. PEASE, Jr. } Agents.
S. M. RUNYON, }
oc7dw4m San Francisco.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.

KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the lands situate at Kootenay Lake, Kootenay District, for which the undermentioned parties have made application to purchase under clause one of the "Land Amendment Act, 1882," have been surveyed and are described as follows:—

Name of Applicant.	Date.	Surveyed as
Geo. J. Ainsworth	Sept. 5th, 1882	SE¼ S 5, Tp No. 1
Geo. J. Ainsworth	" 5th,	NW frac. " 11, "
		SW " " 14, "
E. B. Marvin	" 14th,	SW " " 16, "
		SE " " 17, "
Geo. J. Ainsworth	" 5th,	NW " " 16, "
		NE " " 17, "
Geo. J. Ainsworth	" 5th,	SW " " 21, "

A map of the above lands can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, and at the office of W. Fernie, Esq., Commissioner, Kootenay, where forms of Proof and Declaration can be obtained.

The above or any other claimants should prove up their right to these lands within three months from date of this notice.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 24th Jan., 1882. ja31

FIRE!

THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE

INSURANCE CO.

OF LIVERPOOL AND LONDON,

CAPITAL - - - $10,000,000

THIS COMPANY WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1836 and is the Largest Fire Office in the World.

CLAIMS PAID in satisfaction of Fire Losses since date of establishment, upwards of $80,000,000.

Losses Settled with promptitude and liberality and without reference to head or other branch office.

HALL & GOEPEL,
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"HEAVEN AND HELL."

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"TRUE CHRISTIAN RELIGION,"

By Emanuel Swedenborg, $1.25.

For sale by B. WILLIAMS,
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NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

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OF LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000 STERLING

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

[L. S.]

CLEMENT F. CORNWALL

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come,—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION.

ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, Attorney-General. } KNOW YE, that the Acts of the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, hereinafter mentioned, have been disallowed by His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council:

Year and Chapter.	Title.	Date of Disallowance.	Date of communication by Secretary of State of disallowance.
1873—No. 2	An Act to authorize one Justice of the Peace to do any act, matter, or thing heretofore to be done by two Justices of the Peace, and to give an Appeal to Courts of General and Quarter Sessions	13th March, 1874.	17th March, 1874
1874—No. 2	An Act to amend and consolidate the Laws affecting Crown Lands in British Columbia	16th March, 1875.	6th April, 1875
" " 9	An Act to make provision for the better Administration of Justice	" "	" "
1875—No. 6	An Act to make provision for the better Administration of Justice	5th May, 1876.	11th May, 1876.
1877—Chap. 22	An Act to provide for the better Administration of Justice	16th May, 1878.	20th May, 1878.
" " 32	An Act to Incorporate the Alexandria Company (Limited)	" "	" "
" " 33	An Act to Incorporate the British Columbia Insurance Company (Limited)	" "	" "
1878 " 25	An Act relating to the Crown Lands in British Columbia	22d August, 1879.	1st Sept'r, 1879.
" " 35	An Act to provide for the better collection of Provincial Taxes from Chinese	" "	" "
" " 37	An Act to amend the "Cariboo Waggon Road Tolls Act, 1876."	2d October, 1879.	8th October, 1879.
1880 " 28	An Act to amend the "Cariboo Waggon Road Tolls Act, 1876."	29th July, 1881.	30th July, 1881.
" " 29	An Act respecting Tolls on the Cariboo Waggon Road	" "	" "

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused those Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of the said Province to be thereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this thirty-first day of January, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, and in the forty-sixth year of Our reign.

By Command,

T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary. fe3

BRITISH COLUMBIA MARKET,

VAN VOLKENBURGH & CO.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

BUTCHERS,

ALHAMBRA BUILDING, CORNER GOVERNMENT AND YATES STREETS

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Ships, Hotels and Families Supplied with Meats at the LOWEST RATES

ORDERS filled and delivered to any part of the City free of charge. fe26

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QUEEN'S MARKET, VICTORIA, V. I.

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THE LARGEST AND CHOICEST ASSORTMENT OF

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF MEAT, VEGETABLES, AND STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, during the Quarter ending 30th Dec., 1882.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 66,731 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$141,766 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	17,755 00	Gold Bullion	11,493 00
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	208,738 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	4,569 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	234,934 00	Loaded and Unloaded Property	15,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	158,196 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	225,826 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$527,458 00	Total Amount of Assets	$556,850 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th Dec., 1882 $5,000,000

Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders 6 per cent per annum

Amount of last Dividend declared for half year $150,000.

Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend $855,000.

VICTORIA, B.C., 25th Jan., 1883.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) G. H. BURNS, Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 25th day of Jan., 1883.
ja26 (Signed) R. P. RITHET, J. P.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1882.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in circulation	$683,395 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$249,595 21
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	27,363 92	Gold Bullion	14,472 47
Deposits not bearing Interest	$1,050,545 36	Landed and other Property	26,145 90
Deposits bearing Interest	18,572 80	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 1,767 72
	1,069,118 16	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	658,161 90
			659,929 62
		All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	1,042,851 36
		Do. without the Province	37,929 56
			1,080,780 92
Total Amount of Liabilities	$1,780,057 08	Total Amount of Assets	$2,030,924 12

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1882 $1,730,000

Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders 6 per cent. per annum

Amount of last dividend declared $51,900

Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend $208,197

VICTORIA, B. C., 24th Jan., 1883.

(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Interim Manager.
(Signed) JAS. COOPER KEITH, pro Accountant.

I, CHARLES SEPTIMUS JONES, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864." (Signed) CHAS. S. JONES.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 24th day of Jan., 1883.
ja25 (Signed) J. SPRATT, J. P.

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THOMAS EARLE,
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Dated Nov. 13, 1882. no14dw2m

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PRIVATE BILLS.

NOTICE.

PRIVATE BILLS.

THE TIME LIMITED FOR RECEIVing Private Bills will expire on the

12th day of March, 1883.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.
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PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia for an Act to Incorporate John C. Ainsworth, Geo. J. Ainsworth and Enoch W. Blasdel, under the name of Kootenay Reclamation and Land Company for the purpose of reclaiming the overflowed Lands along the Kootenay River and for turning said River into the Columbia at the point known as the "Kootenay Crossing," near the Columbia Lakes.

JOHN G. BARNSTON,
Counsel for the Applicants.
Victoria, B.C., Jan. 7, 1883. ja17

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APPLICATION will be made to Parliament, at the next Session of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for an Act to repeal an Act intituled the "Victoria and Esquimalt Railway Act Amendment Act, 1876," and to amend an Act intituled the "Victoria and Esquimalt Railway Act, 1873," and to define the time when the last mentioned Act shall come or shall be deemed to come into force; and to enable the said Company, with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, to construct a Railway from Esquimalt to Nanaimo.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
Solicitors for the Victoria and Esquimalt Railway Company.
Dated Victoria, 6th Jan., 1883. ja

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE next session of the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, Charles W. D. Clifford and James J. May intend to apply for an Act giving them the sole right to prospect for minerals contained in Lodes on Vitalle Creek, Omineca, primarily for the purpose of seeking for Arquerite, for a term of Ten years. And for the further right to locate on any Lode found by them 3000 feet in length of such lode and 300 feet on each side thereof and to hold such location in fee.

Dated Victoria, the 18th day of Dec., A. D., 1882.

EBERTS & IRVING,
de19 2m Solicitors for Applicants.

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia for an Act to Incorporate John C. Ainsworth, George J. Ainsworth and Enoch W. Blasdel, under the name of the Columbia and Kootenai Railway and Transportation Company, for the purpose of running a Line of Steamers from a point on Kootenai River, where the Southern Boundary Line of British Columbia intersects the said River, up the said River and through the Kootenai Lake to its outlet; and of constructing and operating a Line of Railway from such outlet, a distance of about 40 miles, to the Columbia River, and thence of running another Line of Steamers up the Columbia River to the head of navigation on aid River.

JOHN G. BARNSTON,
Counsel for Applicants.
Victoria, Dec. 21st, 1882. de22

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct and work a Railway from Victoria *via* Esquimalt Harbor and Nanaimo to some point on or near Seymour Narrows Vancouver Island, and for a grant of public lands in aid thereof.

W. POLLARD,
Solicitor for Applicants.
Langley street, Victoria,
2d January, 1883. ja3

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made at the next session of the Legislature of British Columbia, for an Act to authorize Robert Dunsmuir and Wadham Neston Diggle (trading under the name of Dunsmuir, Diggle & Company), to construct a line of Railway to connect the South Wellington Wharf at Departure Bay and the South Wellington and Wellington Railways, now used by the said Robert Dunsmuir and Wadham Neston Diggle for the transportation of coal from the South Wellington and Wellington Collieries to their respective shipping wharves.

JOHN G. BARNSTON,
Counsel for the Applicants.
Nanaimo, Nov. 30th, 1882. de17

PUBLIC NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE NEXT SESsion of the Provincial Legislature the undersigned and his associates intend to apply for an Act of Incorporation as

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC MINING COMPANY,

To grant them all usual and necessary powers to carry on mining and smelting operations of all kinds, as also to construct roads and docks and to transport freight and passengers by land or water within the boundaries of this province.

no26 6w J. FRASER TORRANCE.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION WILL be made at the next session of the Dominion Parliament of Canada for an Act to enable Alexander James McLellan and Company, of Victoria, British Columbia, to lease from the said Dominion Government the right to use a certain body of water extending from the Bridge, commonly known as the Gorge Bridge, in Victoria District, British Columbia, in a northerly direction along the body of water known as the Victoria Arm, as far as the Bridge known as the Craigflower Bridge, in the District aforesaid, for the purpose of propagating and cultivating Oysters, and also for an exclusive right to carry on the business of propagating and cultivating Oysters as aforesaid in the said waters for a term of twenty years.

W. POLLARD,
Solicitor for the Applicants.
Victoria, B.C., 14th Dec., 1882. de15

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of B. C., at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing a Street Railway in the City and District of Victoria and in the District of Esquimalt; also, for the purpose of carrying on a general transfer, delivery, hack and livery business in the Province.

Dated at Victoria, this 5th day of January, 1883.

EBERTS & IRVING,
Ja5 Solicitors for Applicants.

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN APplication will be made at the next session of the Legislature of British Columbia for an Act to authorize Richard D. Chandler, of San Francisco, State of California, to construct and work a line of Railway from the North-Eastern Boundary of that tract of land known as the Newcastle Townsite Reserve, to a point on Departure Bay.

EBERTS & IRVING,
Solicitors for applicant.
Dated 18th December, 1882. jy6 6w

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to Incorporate a Company to Construct and Work a Trunk Line of Railway between Esquimalt and Nanaimo, with power to build branch roads to Victoria and Settlements upon the East Coast of Vancouver Island.

Dated 12th January, A. D. 1883.

G. E. CORBOULD,
Solicitor for Applicants.

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IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 200 acres o land situate in the Land Recording District of Osoyoos, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the Southern boundary of Lot 106, about 6 chains from the Southwest corner of said Lot; thence true South 14 chains; thence true East 60 chains; thence true South 40 chains thence true West 40 chains; thence true North chains, more or less, to the Southern boundary o Lot 106; thence Southwest, along the Southern boundary of Lot 105, to the point of commencement

J. C. HAYNES
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7th, 1882. se1

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situate at Otter Cove Johnson Straits and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake in Otter Cove; thence true West 40 chains; thence true North 40 chains; thence true East 40 chains, more or less, to the shoreline of Otter Cove; thence in a Southerly direction along the shore line of Otter Cove to the point of commencement.

JOHN A. COTTRELL.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 27th, 1882. se28

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 200 acres of land, situate at Elk Bay, Johnson Straits, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake about half-a-mile in a Southeasterly direction from the mouth of a Creek running into Elk Bay; thence true West 40 chains thence true North 80 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Elk Bay; thence in a Southeasterly direction along the shore line of Elk Bay to the point of commencement.

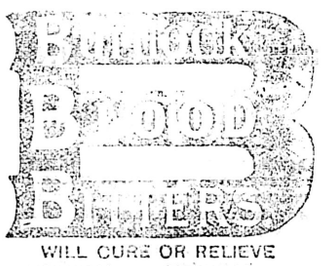
JOHN A. COTTRELL
Victoria, B.C. Sept. 27th, 1882. se28

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND T apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase one hundred and sixty (160) acres of land at Kootenay Lake, described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the West shore of Kootenay Lake, about 8 miles North of the Hot Springs; thence true West 40 chains; thence true North 40 chains, thence true East 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Kootenay Lake; thence in a Southerly direction along the shore line of Kootenay Lake to the point of commencement, and containing 160 acres or more.

GEO J. AINSWORTH.
Victoria, Sept. 5th, 1882. se6d1wsw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